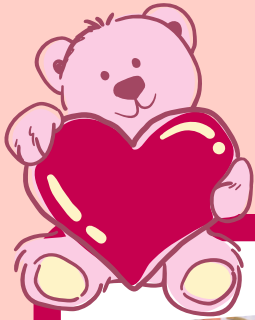


# COUGAR NATION NEWS

FEBRUARY 2025



## BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

Battle of the Books (BoB) district competition is Saturday, February 22 at Madrona elementary. The winners of that competition will attend the Regional competition on March 8 at Logos.

## Yearbooks

Yearbooks are on sale NOW for \$50.00. Please see the bookkeeper in the front office to order your book.



## Penny Drive

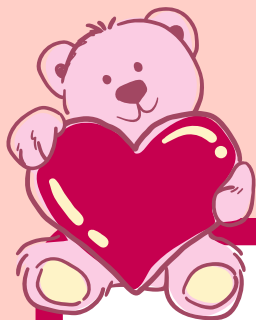
For the month of February students will be collecting pennies, or any coins. They are raising money to travel to France and Spain during the summer of 2026.

Thank you for your support.

## Sports Physicals

Make sure you are ready for spring sports. You must have a current physical to practice. Set up your appointment for your physical in the Health Center before the season kicks off.





## DATES TO REMEMBER

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| Groundhogs Day.....                    | February 2  |
| Winter Ball.....                       | February 8  |
| Mathletes to SOU.....                  | February 11 |
| Academic Master testing @ RCC 8am..... | February 14 |
| Valentines Day.....                    | February 14 |
| Project Youth + to Oregon Tech.....    | February 17 |
| Presidents Day (No School).....        | February 17 |
| Battle of the Books.....               | February 22 |
| Honor Society Induction.....           | February 25 |
| Booster Club Mtg 6pm.....              | February 26 |
| Academic Masters @ GPHS 6pm.....       | February 28 |



## SENIOR INFORMATION

Seniors...there will be a questionnaire to fill out coming soon. You will need to PRINT your name the way you want it to read on your diploma. You can have just your first and last name, or you can add you middle name or middle initial. Please be sure to print neatly so we are able to read it clearly.

Also, you will need to fill out the activity sheet with what you were involved in throughout high school.

Please be sure to turn in your senior picture and baby picture ASAP. They are needed for Senior of the Day slides the are posted to the IV Facebook page and the yearbook.



## SPRING SPORTS

Spring sports begin March 3. Please be sure to sign up on line. If you need help or have any questions please contact the office @ 541-592-2116.

## Immunizations

Exclusion day is coming, February 19, 2025. Please be sure your student is up to date on their immunizations by this date.



ILLINOIS VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

# TRACK & FIELD CONDITIONING

MONDAY ~ TUESDAY ~ WEDNESDAY ~ THURSDAY

4PM

TO

5:30PM



**MEET IN THE WEIGHT ROOM**



# ILLINOIS VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

ERIK LATHEN, PRINCIPAL \* ERICA BUTLER, ASST. PRINCIPAL/AD \* SHERI LARSON, OFFICE MGR.

Dear Parent or Guardian of Student Athletes:

I wish to inform you of a sports financial assistance program called Every Kid Sports in which any student receiving Medicare, WIC or SNAP will qualify. If you have a student that will be involved in an upcoming sport you can apply online and the program will pay \$95 of the \$105 fee, you pay only \$10. The application period for spring sports begins February 4th. The process opens at 10am daily and ends when the daily quota is filled. This is not a guaranteed payment, the sooner you apply the better your chances of being approved.

To apply go to: [everykidsports.org](http://everykidsports.org)

Under Parent Portal choose EKS Pass Page then choose apply and fill out the application, it only takes about five minutes to apply.

Below is some information you may need for the application:

- How did you hear about The Pass? – School District
- The dates your sport starts and ends:
- Track – March 3, 2025 – May 31, 2025
- Baseball – March 3, 2025 – June 7, 2025
- Softball – March 3, 2025 – June 7, 2025
- Golf – March 3, 2025 – May 20, 2025
- Hours of participation per week: 18
- Organization hosting your sport: Illinois Valley High School
- Schools website: <http://iv.3riverssd.org>
- Contact person: Joan McCaslin  
[joan.mccaslin@threerivers.k12.or.us](mailto:joan.mccaslin@threerivers.k12.or.us) 541-592-2116
- Cost of sport registration: \$105
- Grant amount requested: \$95

**You will need to attach and submit your Medicare, WIC or SNAP information to your Every Kid Sports application.** Funds are not available for previous sports participation.

Once approved, typically within 8 – 11 days, ChekSpend will email you a digital debit card number, you **must call me** with that number and I will credit you your grant amount. If you don't receive it, check your spam or trash.

Every Kid Sports has a help site: <https://help.everykidsports.org/>

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Age of Ice

YOU ARE INVITED TO

# Winter Formal

FEBRUARY

SATURDAY

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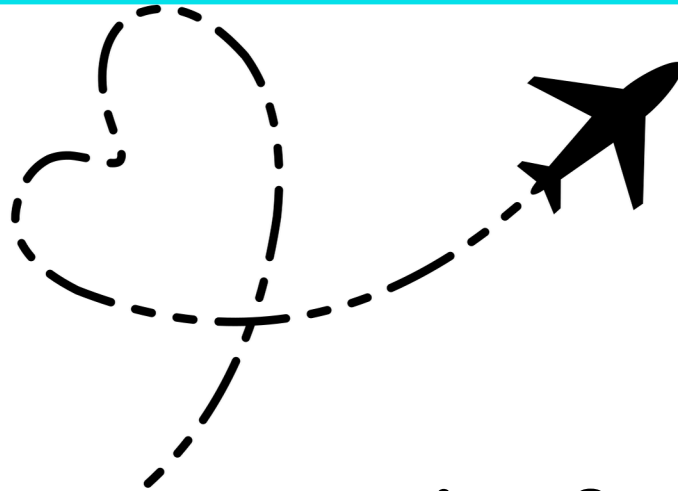
8PM-11PM

Get Your Tickets Now!!!

Singles - \$10

Doubles - \$15

Prices increase by \$5 at the door!!



# February Penny Drive for Student Travel to France and Spain

Please send your pennies (or any change!!) with your high school student or bring them to IVHS during the month of February!

Collection jars will be in the office and room 12.

Thank you!! ¡Gracias! Merci!

